

Gus Baker

Gus "Red" Baker, 79, of Hastings, died Wednesday, Dec. 13, 2006, at Flagler Hospital.

A native of Hastings, he had worked as a farm laborer and was also a descendent of the Blackfoot Indians.

He is survived by five daughters, Gussie Brown of East Palatka, Daisy Baldwin of Waycross, Ga., Mary Oxendine of Satsuma, Cynthia Robinson of Palatka and Belinda Farmer of Waycross; three sons, Gus Baker Jr., James Baker and Eugene Watson of Dover, Del.; one brother, Rufus Baker of Winter Haven, and devoted caregivers Rosa Mae and Joseph Tolbert of Hastings.

Calling hours will be from 5-9 p.m. Friday (today) at Coleman's Chapel. Services will be at 2:15 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 23, at Harvest Time Ministry in Hastings with Pastor Christopher Coleman officiating. Burial will follow in Masonic Cemetery.

Coleman's Mortuary of Hastings is in charge.